

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF ALASKA

PEBBLE LIMITED PARTNERSHIP,)	
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vs.)	
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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION)	
AGENCY, et al.,)	
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)	No. 3:14-cv-0171-HRH
Defendants.)	
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FURTHER AMENDMENT TO
SCHEDULING AND PLANNING ORDER

The parties have filed a *Joint Motion to Amend the Scheduling and Planning Order*.¹ This motion was discussed at a case status conference with counsel on October 28, 2016. The joint motion is approved, and the following deadlines are adopted:

<u>Description of Event</u>	<u>New Deadline</u>
Deadline for Filing of Motion Regarding Proposed Depositions of Current and Former EPA Administrators	November 9, 2016
Defendants' Expert Disclosures Due (including witnesses who do not provide a written report pursuant to Rule 26(a)(2)(C))	November 10, 2016
Deadline to Supplement Disclosures Pursuant to Rule 26(e)	As new information is acquired but not later than December 2, 2016

¹Docket No. 268.

Deadline for Opposition to Motion Regarding Proposed Depositions of Current and Former EPA Administrators	December 7, 2016
Deadline for Reply in Support of Motion Regarding Proposed Depositions of Current and Former EPA Administrators	December 21, 2016
Plaintiff's Expert Rebuttal Reports Due (including witnesses who do not provide a written report pursuant to Rule 26(a)(2)(C))	December 23, 2016
Deadline for Plaintiff to Identify Topics for Rule 30(b)(6) Deposition (with no such depositions to take place before February 28, 2017)	December 23, 2016
Final Lay Witness List Due	January 27, 2017
Defendants' Expert Rebuttal Reports Due (including witnesses who do not provide a written report pursuant to Rule 26(a)(2)(C))	December 23, 2016
Final Expert Witness List Due	February 24, 2017
Deadline for Completion of Depositions (excluding Expert Witnesses and Rule 30(b)(6) Depositions)	December 23, 2016
Deadline for Defendants to Identify Topics for Rule 30(b)(6) Deposition	December 23, 2016
Deadline to File Motions Under the Discovery Rules	December 23, 2016
Completion of Expert and Rule 30(b)(6) Depositions and Overall Close of Discovery	December 23, 2016

This case was commenced by the filing of a complaint on September 3, 2014, and the case scheduling has been generous. The court urges the parties to adhere to the above revised schedule to avoid any further delay; however, the parties may further modify the deadlines set forth above by mutual agreement so long as any such modifications are

promptly reported to the court and do not extend the discovery window beyond March 31, 2017. All discovery closes March 31, 2017.

The filing of dispositive motions shall be the subject of a briefing schedule to be proposed to the court on or before December 23, 2016. All other provisions of and deadlines contained in the court's scheduling and planning order (as previously modified) not specifically addressed above remain in effect.

The parties are considering engaging a mediator to assist them in resolving various outstanding issues. The parties will please keep the court informed if and when a mediation is scheduled and the results of any mediation.

Dated at Anchorage, Alaska, this 28th day of October, 2016.

/s/ H. Russel Holland
United States District Judge